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Attorney Docket No. C018497/0106453

First Inventor Rodney Gerard Wilson

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See 37 CFR 1.27.
3.  Specification [Total Pages 35]  
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  - Descriptive title of the invention
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  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
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name in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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(if applicable, all necessary)
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of  
(when there is an assignee)  Attorney
11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS  
Citations
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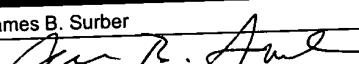
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1002 330	2002 165			Design filing fee	
1003 520	2003 260			Plant filing fee	
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1005 160	2005 80			Provisional filing fee	
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Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
25	-20** = 5 x 18	= 90
7	- 3** = 4 x 84	= 336
Multiple Dependent		

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 84	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 280	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 84	2204 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$ 426)

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1051 130	2051 65			Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
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1053 130	1053 130			Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520			For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*			Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*			Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55			Extension for reply within first month	
1252 410	2252 205			Extension for reply within second month	
1253 930	2253 465			Extension for reply within third month	
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1401 320	2401 160			Notice of Appeal	
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1451 1,510	1451 1,510			Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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1810 750	2810 375			For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
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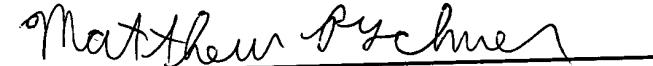
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